



CAREER NEWS

Friday 28 April 2017

- UMAT applications close 2 June; test 26 July. Information Booklet: <http://umat.acer.edu.au>
- 'INSIDE MONASH' seminars – Coming in May: 2nd Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy, 4th Nursing and Midwifery, 9th Education, 11th Psychology, 16th Education, 17th Law, 18th Health Sciences, 18th IT, 23rd Biomedical Sciences, Radiography and Nutrition, 25th Engineering; Register: www.monash.edu/inside-monash
- 'FOCUS ON MELBOURNE' in May: 16th Biomedicine; 17th Agriculture; 18th Veterinary Science; 23rd Engineering; 24th IT; 30th Science; <https://futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/explore/events>.



MONASH University

Date Change: Medicine & Biomedical Science

Students are advised that the **Medicine & Biomedical Science** seminar originally scheduled for Tuesday 16 May 2017 has been changed to **Monday 5 June 2017**.

Register at [Inside Monash](#)



THE UNIVERSITY OF
MELBOURNE

Victorian College Of The Arts (VCA) New Degrees

The Victorian College of The Arts, in South-bank, is part of The University of Melbourne.

In 2018 VCA will be offering two new degrees for aspiring actors and theatre-makers:

The Bachelor of Fine Arts (Acting)

The Bachelor of Fine Arts (Theatre)

These two dynamic, forward-thinking conservatoire-style programs will nurture a new generation of *culturally aware* and *internationally focused actors* and *performance makers*, preparing them for 21st century careers in the Asia Pacific region across a wide range of stage and screen contexts.



RMIT offers both higher education and VET certificates and diplomas. Its main campus is in the City, and it also has campuses in Brunswick and Bundoora.

BACHELOR OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE (LABORATORY MEDICINE)

RMIT's Bachelor of Biomedical Science (Laboratory Medicine) remains as the only degree in Victoria that is professionally accredited by the Australian Institute of Medical Scientists (AIMS).

Medical laboratory scientists play the vital role in the healthcare system to combat superbugs



EXPLORE ASIA THROUGH RMIT VIETNAM

RMIT Vietnam is the Asian hub of RMIT University, with campuses in **Ho Chi Minh City** and **Hanoi**.

Programs on offer are: business, creative design and technology.

RMIT students can cross-campus at RMIT Vietnam for up to a year without increasing the tuition or extending their university program.



Students need to have completed at least one semester of academic study at RMIT prior to applying for Cross-campus Study at RMIT Vietnam.

Advantages:

- match academic programs
- the affordable cost of living
- the food and culture
- the chance to travel to some of the best destinations in Asia.

See: www.rmit.edu.au/students/exchangevietnam

Several Victorian universities have **overseas campuses** where part of a degree can be studied. In addition, all universities have 'partner' overseas universities where part of a Victorian degree can be completed. Universities encourage this option, and will assist with organising placements. Some assist with travel costs. An advantage of this program is that the fees for completing the overseas placement remain the same as they would be if the student was studying at home.



Interested In Studying Health At Deakin University?

Health is the fastest growing employment industry.

Deakin is offering **information sessions** where students can explore their options

- **Exercise and Sport Science**

Burwood Campus - 17 May 6-7.30pm and 20 May 2-3.30pm

Geelong (Waurin Ponds Campus) - 24 May 6-7.30pm and 27 May 2-3.30pm

- **Food and Nutrition Sciences**

Burwood Campus – 17 May 6-7.30pm and 20 May 2-3.30pm

- **Health Sciences**

Burwood Campus – 18 May 6-7.30pm

Geelong (Waterfront Campus) - 25 May 6-7.30pm

- **Nursing and Midwifery**

Burwood Campus - 26 July 6-8pm and 29 July 2.30-4.30pm

Geelong (Waterfront Campus) 26 July 6-8pm and 29 July 2.30-4.30pm

Warrnambool Campus – 11 August 6-7.30pm

Register online at www.deakin.edu.au/health/events

Health course Information: 1800 693 888.



Australian College of Nursing

ACN NURSING EXPO

The ACN Nursing & Health Expo is the perfect place for students to discover their careers in the nursing and health professions. The ACN Expo has a strong reputation for connecting visitors with a range of organisations including hospitals, health care services, educational institutions and specialty nursing groups.

Visitors will gain practical take-home advice and skills in a series of complimentary educational seminars. If your students are considering a career in the nursing or health professions, then the Expo is for them.

With over 110 exhibitors nationally, a wealth of products and services on show.

Date: Saturday, 29 April 2017 **Time:** 8:30am - 1:30pm

Venue: Melbourne Convention & Exhibition Centre 2 Clarendon Street South Wharf

Cost: Free entry

For more information, go to acn.edu.au/expos

New Bachelor of Engineering Practice (Honours)

Entry to the degree will be based on **interview** rather than ATAR results and assessment will be based on **individual performance within a team** rather than on exams.

Swinburne will be releasing a *new **Bachelor of Engineering Practice (Honours)*** degree from 2018. This course will offer an alternative to the traditional teaching and assessment approaches in engineering. It has been co-designed with multiple industry partners to ensure that future graduates will be well-prepared to go into an existing company or create their own.

The degree will run alongside the existing [Bachelor of Engineering \(Honours\)](#), and will conform to the requirements for accreditation by Engineers Australia and students will graduate as engineers. Students should note that any maths is acceptable.

Find out more at [Bachelor of Engineering Practice \(Honours\)](#)



BACHELOR OF ARTS

An Arts degree is the ideal preparation for today's changing world since it develops the highly sought-after skills of communication, problem-solving, teamwork and critical thinking that modern employers want.

We collaborate with a network of business and industry partners. Everything students learn with us has direct links to the workplace and their future career. We offer students many opportunities for practical learning.

The Victoria University Bachelor of Arts is distinctive for its emphasis on scholarly disciplines that are highly engaged with the workplace and the broader community. It offers this deeply rooted concept of an Arts education within the context of issues that prevail in Australia now. Students can study overseas for a semester at one of our many international partner institutes.

With an emphasis on the humanities, creative arts and social sciences you will develop grounding in the diversity of ways of knowing.

Frequent graduate destinations include:

- journalism, writing or strategic communications
- teaching
- creative arts administration
- public servant and policy work
- community sector professional roles
- creative arts
- software development
- corporate management.

Industry partnerships

We offer on-the-job learning for students through a wide range of industry partners that include Malthouse Theatre, Penguin Books, Beat Media, ABC, Channel 10, SBS, St Vincent de Paul, local councils and the Parliament of Victoria.

For more information about the course, go to: vu.edu.au/courses/abab

THE HANGER

Victoria University's growing focus on entrepreneurship has been backed by a new study showing 80 per cent of Australia's start-up founders are university graduates.

VU's recently launched start-up hub, the Hanger helps not only VU students and staff, but – uniquely among Australian universities – anyone in the local community looking for start-up mentoring or advice on improving an existing business.

The Hanger has become a meeting place for the west's growing community of entrepreneurs, helping to launch more than a dozen start-ups already. One successful start-up business includes FoodPost, a meal delivery service that delivers food from Footscray restaurants to staff and students located at VU campuses.

For further information on the Hanger, go to vuhanger.com

NURSING STUDENTS TOUR THE PHILLIPINES

Victoria University nursing students saw how tough it was working in the health system of a developing nation like the Philippines during their two-week study journey.

College of Health and Biomedicine's Director of Learning and Teaching Karen Lawrence supervised the third year Bachelor of Nursing students. She said the group found it confronting to see how health care conditions in some of the country's remote areas compared to Australia.

"We travelled and hiked two hours up a mountain in Barangay province to visit sick people who were too unwell to attend a basic community clinic," she said. Karen said that the two weeks will be great experience for the students in cultural awareness, sensitivity, and work readiness, particularly for roles among the culturally diverse residence of Melbourne's west. vu.edu.au/study-abroad



***Ranges TEC is a Christian Trade Training
Centre for Year 10, 11 and 12 students***

<http://www.rangestec.vic.edu.au/>

Ranges TEC is a registered campus of Mount Evelyn Christian School and Registered Training Organisation.

Offering great facilities, and the latest equipment, students at Ranges TEC are taught and mentored by passionate and experienced Christian teachers.



At Ranges TEC students can complete their secondary schooling and obtain a certificate in a chosen trade area while being supported by great teachers and industry experts.

Ranges TEC offers a range of options to students and is committed to making every effort to provide flexible, personalised learning pathways to suit student needs.

Students are able to choose from a range of options, including completing a pre-apprenticeship qualification in Years 11 in one of the following trade areas:

Building/Construction
Furniture/Cabinet Making
Engineering
Hospitality
Horticulture



OPEN CAMPUS Saturday 27th May 1pm to 4pm

1/9 Hightech Place, Lilydale

Information	Tours	Past student stories
Live broadcast 89.9 LIGHT FM		Free sausage sizzle
Activities for siblings and younger kids		

And from 2:30pm - 4pm at Ranges TEC Community Farm, *10 Coulson Road, Monbulk*
See: the house construction project, the plant and landscaping projects
Join in on some fun activities

Our main campus is a brand new, purpose built, trade training and education facility located in Hightech Place, Lilydale. Situated within Lilydale's newest industrial development it provides an authentic setting for vocational education and training and is only a short walk from rail and bus services.

Ranges TEC has two other sites to support the delivery of our learning programs; a Community Farm in Coulsons Road, Monbulk and a Hangar Facility at Coldstream Aerodrome, (run in conjunction with Australian Centre for Mission Aviation).

Profile of Myotherapy/Massage Therapy

Students often enquire about *what Myotherapy is, where one can study for it and the possible pre-requisite studies.*



Myotherapy is offered at several institutions including *Australian College of Sports Therapy, Box Hill Institute, Chisholm Institute, Holmesglen Institute, RMIT, and Southern School of Natural Therapies.*

A **Myotherapist** usually assesses and treats patients with postural problems, with the aim of restoring the body to its ideal state. This generally involves the manual realignment of muscles, joints, ligaments, and tissues which have become damaged or misaligned.

Often **Myotherapists** plan, apply and assess massage treatment in the health care and soft tissue treatment industries.

Visit [Australian Natural Therapists Association](#) to find out more!



Blue Mountains International Hotel Management School

- Based in Sydney, the BMIHMS is a leading hotel school for hospitality education
- There are two campuses - [Leura Campus](#) – situated in the Blue Mountains National Park, and the [Sydney Campus](#), which is in the heart of the CBD.
- Students can choose from a range of undergraduate business degrees including [International Hotel and Resort Management](#), [International Event Management](#) or [International Restaurant and Catering Management](#).
- There are also [Master Degree Programs](#), which include [International Hotel Management](#) and [Global Business Management](#).

Find out more at [Blue Mountains International Hotel Management School](#)



The International College of Hotel Management – Quick Facts

- The Swiss Hotel Association is famous for, and founded, the concept of International Hotel Management
- Swiss Hotel Association/ ICHM are specialists in the field of International Hotel Management
- The ICHM program has two degrees: *B. Business* and *B. International Hotel Management* obtainable in 3 years
- Successful graduates hold high management positions world-wide
- ICHM is one of the leading hotel schools in Australia, and has graduated more than 2000 students from 88 countries.
- It is a Swiss Hotel Association affiliated school with links to the oldest Swiss hotel school, Ecole hotelier de Lausanne.
- The program is a mix of academic and industry semesters
- The program includes 2-3 Industry placements of 750 hours each, with a minimum of 1500 hours and a maximum of 2800 hours
- The facilities at Regency Campus are of world standard

Visit [ICHM](#) for all other information!




Career in Public Relations

Public relations officers plan, develop, put into place and evaluate information and communication strategies that present an organisation to the public, clients and other stakeholders. They also promote good information flow within their organisation - [Good Universities Guide - Public Relations Officer](#). A number of universities in Victoria offer **public relations degrees**, or **public relations as a major** in other degrees - some of these are listed below.

For a comprehensive list of courses offering public relations (including the many double-degree options) on offer at universities, visit [VTAC](#).

INSTITUTION	COURSE NAME	VCE PREREQs	MAJOR STUDIES	ATAR 2017
CQU C – City	Business	n/a	Management, Public Relations, Human Resource Management (HRM), Property, Marketing, Information Systems, Accounting, Supply Chain Management.	n/a (C)
DEAKIN B – Burwood G – Geelong Waurin Ponds	Public Relations	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Media and communication, Journalism, Public relations, Marketing, Written communication.	65.05 (B) 62.65 (GW)
LA TROBE M – Melbourne	Media and Communication (Public Relations)	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Strategic communication, Public relations.	n/a (M)
RMIT C – City	Public Relations	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 35 in any English.	Marketing communication, Communication management, Communication research, Strategic planning, Professional practice, Leadership, Writing, Business practice, Public relations.	80.55 (C)
SWINBURNE H – Hawthorn * – Professional degree	Media and Communication	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Advertising, Cinema and screen studies, Creative writing and literature, Digital advertising technology, Games and interactivity, Journalism, Media industries, Public relations, Social media.	80.15 (H) * 60.10 (H)
VICTORIA F – Footscray Park	Marketing Communication	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.	Advertising, Consumer Behaviour, Media Management, Social Media, Client Relationship Management, Integrated Marketing Communications, Public Relations, Brand Management, Copywriting, Multimedia, Strategic Communications, Communication Ethics, Market Research, Social Marketing, Campaign Evaluation and Analytics, Digital Engagement, Professional Communication.	n/a (F)

Snapshot of Deakin – Geelong Waurnd Ponds Campus

- Deakin University's Faculty of Health offers Australia's first accelerated optometry course. Offered as a combined course, the Bachelor of Vision Science/Master of Optometry - [Optometry](#). Students have access to a dedicated simulated optometry store for simulated exercises. Deakin Optometry is housed in the Regional Community Health Hub (REACH) building.
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- The School of Medicine - [School of Medicine](#) – is another state-of-the-art facility at the Deakin Waurnd Ponds Campus. It opened in 2008 and offers a 4-year graduate medical degree, with 2 years of pre-clinical education at the University campus in Waurnd Ponds, and then 2 years' clinical education and experience in one of its clinical schools – hospitals as far-flung as Ballarat to Box Hill.
 - 2015 saw the first intake of students to the new 4-year Medical Imaging course offered at the Waurnd Ponds Campus - [Medical Imaging](#). The department is a fully equipped x-ray department, and students have access to adult-sized human models designed to be x-rayed and reflect human-like responses to x-rays.
 - Deakin's School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences - [Exercise & Sport Science](#) - is also in the REACH building. Again, exercise & sport science students have access to state-of-the-art equipment. Of note is the added fact that Deakin's School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences is ranked the number one sport science school in the world, according to the Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU).
 - The Geelong Waurnd Ponds Campus is home to the [Geelong Technology Precinct](#). The precinct focuses on Deakin's core research capabilities *in materials, biotechnology, chemistry, and environmental engineering*, along with regional strengths in *manufacturing and agri-processing*.
 - The Geelong Waurnd Ponds Campus is also home to the brand new [CADET](#) building – the *Centre for Advanced Design in Engineering Training*. The \$55 million state-of-the-art facility houses some of the most advanced and future-focused simulation and visualisation systems, purpose-built interactive laboratories and learning environments in the country.